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Please see the attached response to the Office Action mailed November 22, 2006 for the above referenced patent application.

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Perkins, et al.

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Title: **METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR  
DETECTION OF LARGE LEAKS IN  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed November 22, 2006, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2  
of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.